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THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" (a) Income-tax is a Union subject and as such the question relating to the amount of income-tax collected from the Madras State can be properly asked only in Parliament, as the executive powers of the State Government do not extend to such matters. In view of this constitutional position, it is regretted that the figures cannot be furnished here.

" (b) The present Madras State received a sum of Rs. 306·76 lakhs for the second six months of 1953–54 as its share of the income-tax proceeds assigned to the States. The credit anticipated in the current year is Rs. 5,67 lakhs."

*Water-supply scheme for Tindivanam*

* 1274 *Q.*—SRI M. JAGANNATHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state whether at the instance of the Tindivanam Municipality, South Arcot district, the Government have recommended to the Union Government the inclusion of the water-supply scheme of that municipality in the National Water-supply and Sanitation Schemes?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" No, Sir."

*Repairs to irrigation works in Gingee taluk*

* 1275 *Q.*—SRI A. RATNAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) to how many irrigation works, in Gingee taluk, repairs were undertaken and carried out in 1954; and

(b) the expenditure incurred thereon?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU :—

" (a) Repairs undertaken in 1953–54 ... ... 56

Repairs carried out in 1953–54 (i.e., completed) ... ... ... ... ... 30

" (b) Rs. 45,635."

*Anadhamandhiram, Kozhikode*

* 1276 *Q.*—SRI T. C. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR (on behalf of Sri V. R. Krishna Ayyar) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) What, if any, is the grant given annually by Government to the Kozhikode Anadhamandiram;

(b) whether the Government have approved this institution as a Vigilance Home; and

(c) whether any court proceedings have been taken against the authorities of this institution for alleged wrongful confinement of girls?